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CNG OPENS LONDON OFFICE IN AFFILIATION WITH SEABY

We take great pleasure in announcing the opening of our London office. In affiliation with B.A. Seaby Ltd., we are opening in London as Seaby Coins, A Division of CNG, Inc. We are especially pleased to take this step in affiliation with the venerable numismatic publishing house of B.A. Seaby Ltd., with which we will share premises. The Classical Numismatic Review will now incorporate the Seaby Coin and Medal Bulletin, and we extend a warm welcome to all those Bulletin subscribers for whom this is their first issue of the Review.

We have exciting plans for our operation in London!

In London, as elsewhere, we will of course be an active buyer and seller of Greek, Roman, Judean, Byzantine, medieval, and British coins. We are particularly eager to buy, as we constantly need to replenish our stock. We will pay top prices for collections or good single coins. If you would like to see us in London, please phone to make an appointment.

As a service to the British -- and general European -- market, we will be displaying in London the coins for all our future mail and public auctions. We customarily have several viewings at different locations in the U.S., now, with the addition of viewing in London, an even larger number of bidders will have an opportunity to examine our auction coins firsthand. Our next sale will be a mail bid sale closing on June 5, 1991, and the London viewing dates will be announced in the catalogue.

We will be holding periodic public auctions in London. Our first London public sale will take place in October 1991 during COINEX week. We already have a nice consignment of Ancient and British coins. In addition, this sale will include an exceptional offering of numismatic reference books. We are accepting additional consignments. If you have been considering sale of all or part of your collection, we would be pleased to discuss a possible consignment. We offer our usual high quality catalogues, competitive terms, and prompt payment, now with the additional advantage of full exposure to both the European and American markets.

With permanent locations on two continents, we will be in a better position than ever to provide attentive personal service to all our customers. We stand ready to advise on prospective purchases, to find that particular rare piece to complete a collection, or to represent bidders in any of the major European or American auctions. We are pleased to offer our customers full access to the international market.

We hope you enjoy this edition of the Review. We have listed a wide variety of coins in all price ranges, including some interesting groups in the specials inside the back cover. For the budget-conscious collector, we have introduced a new budget section of less expensive coins.

For those of you awaiting word on Dr. Price's long-anticipated study of Alexander III, please see page three.

Victor England
Eric J. McFadden

SHOW & AUCTION SCHEDULE

April 26-27, 1991

Numismatic & Antiquarian Bourse
Holiday Inn - Golden Gateway
San Francisco CA

May 1-4, 1991

A.I.N.A. Convention
Omni Park Hotel
New York NY

June 5, 1991

Classical Numismatic Auctions, Ltd.
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Mail Bid Sale
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June 21-22, 1991

New York Antiquarian Coin Show
Omni Park Hotel
New York, NY

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The Celator is a must for every classical numismatist.

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Numismatics International. P.O. Box 670013, Dallas, TX 75367-0013. Membership dues (including subscription to monthly *NI Bulletin*) \$15.00 annually. Seniors over 70 - \$10.00 annually.

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Making Plaster & Plastic Coin Casts

by

Douglas D. Smith

Numismatists often make plaster casts of their coins for study and display. European museums and collectors place such high value on these casts that they are preferred to photographs as a method of trading information about coins under study. Realism can be added to the plain white plaster by painting. Plaster, however, is fragile, and mailing casts requires careful packaging. A desire to produce coin replicas that would survive the rigors of the post office and possibly be usable in items of jewelry led to a series of experiments to find a material that would replace plaster as a casting medium.



Septimius Severus Denarius
Brush & leaf - Good colour match

Since the casting procedure for plaster and plastic casts is very similar, this description will cover both techniques. An impression is made by pressing the coin into a modeling clay-like material. The only recommended material for this use is "Plasticine," an English product sold in well-stocked toy or craft stores.¹ In addition to taking a clean impression, Plasticine contains no sulfur and will not affect the surface tone of silver coins. Other clays might damage your coins, so experiment on "expendable" subjects before trying good coins. Common sense would also suggest not trying this process on fragile, thin, cracked, or flaking surfaced coins. If you always handle your coins by the edges, this process is not for you.

Step by Step Instructions:

1. Make a ball of Plasticine slightly larger than the diameter of the coin. Work this with your hands until it is perfectly smooth and elastic. This process is made easier if the Plasticine is warmed by placing it in a cup of hot water or very close under a goose-neck lamp.
2. On a smooth piece of plain paper covering a perfectly smooth work surface press the ball to flatten the bottom side. This will produce a disk about twice the diameter of the coin and at least 1/2 inch thick. Too large and too thick are never problems. Inspect the bottom surface and if any cracks, pits, or irregularities are found, go back to step #1 and reroll a smooth, even ball. If the surface is perfect, lay the disk with the good side up on another clean piece of paper.
3. Dust the surface with baby powder and brush lightly with a finger to remove excess. A thin, even coating should remain.
4. Carefully place the coin face down in the center of the Plasticine and press evenly down with a finger (or thumb depending on the size of the coin) until the back of the coin is at or below the surface of the Plasticine. How deeply the coin is pressed will determine the thickness of the cast.
5. Turn over the disk and tap lightly over your cupped hand. Heavy coins will fall out easily, lighter coins may require more vigorous tapping. Very small coins can be a problem but by applying a little extra baby powder, using an oversize piece of Plasticine, and slightly flexing the "sandwich" before tapping,



Rhodes Didrachm
Brush & Leaf

even hemiobol can be coaxed out of the mold. As a last resort, use a toothpick to encourage the edge of the coin out of the Plasticine.

6. Examine the coin. If there are any specks of Plasticine that tore away from the disk, start over. Otherwise, set the mold aside until you have made all the molds you intend to do in one session.

Plaster Casting:

1. If you choose to make traditional plaster casts, lightly spray the molds with a commercial spray to prevent air bubbles in plaster castings.² Blow into the mold to coat the surfaces evenly and shake to remove any surplus liquid.

2. Mix plaster (high-grade "dental" plaster works best but fine craft store plaster can be used) and water to form a paste with about the consistency of cake frosting. Never mix more than you can pour in a few minutes since this plaster starts to set up immediately. Four coin casts per mix is a safe place to start and can be increased as your expertise increases.

3. Using a small artist's brush (sizes 1 to 3 work well), carefully paint the inner surface of the mold with plaster, dislodging air bubbles as you proceed. Tapping the mold sharply on the table will also help eliminate bubbles. When all surfaces are covered, pour plaster to fill the remainder of the mold. Some workers skip the spray, the brush, and the tapping and just pour plaster, but perfect casts free from bubbles require care.

4. Allow to dry several hours until the plaster is hard and white. Wet plaster is slightly gray in color. Flex the mold and pry out the cast with a fingernail. Any surplus plaster can be trimmed away with a file or fingernail clippers. Plaster casts are very delicate until fully dry so handle carefully for at least 24 hours.

Plastic Casts:

Plastic casts can be made from two-part epoxy liquid polymers intended for embedding objects or coating table tops. It is important to select an epoxy mixed from two equal parts rather than one that requires a few drops of hardener in several ounces of resin. Mixing small quantities of the latter is impossible.³

1. In a small medicine cup, measure equal parts of epoxy resin and hardener sufficient to cast the number of molds you have prepared. Since the polymer coating material is clear, add a small amount of some form of colorant to produce the color casts you desire. Latex enamel paint works well and comes in several colors.⁴ Food coloring produces synthetic gemstones that are attractive for jewelry. Silver replicas can be produced with silver leaf paint but these never harden beyond a rubbery stage.⁵

Silver replicas are fine for mailing to numismatic correspondents but are not suitable for jewelry. Rit fabric dye, powdered chalk, baby powder, plastic, and latex enamel have all been tried with some success but each worker will want to experiment to find one that produces a favorite result.⁶ Failures can be painted with silver leaf paint and used for display. Embedded colors retain better detail than painted casts, especially on smaller coins. Stir very well. This material

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ANNOUNCING AN IMPORTANT NEW WORK

MARTIN JESSOP PRICE

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Classical Numismatic Group, Inc. takes pleasure in announcing that it has been selected as the exclusive distributor for the Western Hemisphere for this long-awaited study.

This massive two-volume set, meticulously composed over a period of many years, is the most comprehensive study ever attempted on Alexander the Great. Dr. Price's work is bound to be the single standard reference for the foreseeable future.

The work will cover the entire coinage in all metals of Alexander the Great and his half brother and successor, Philip Arrhidaeus, as well as the coinage of Lysimachus issued with the types of Alexander. The catalogue will include not only lifetime issues, but also posthumous coinage of the same designs struck down to the first century BC.

An extensive introductory section will be dedicated to general themes, including selection of designs, periods of minting, analysis of hoards, and significance of countermarks. The catalogue itself, listing well over 4000 different types, will be arranged by mint. For each mint, a survey will treat the chronology, historical context, and attribution of the coinage. The 149 plates, with photographs of the extensive British Museum collection, will illustrate the catalogue. Indexes of the over 900 issue marks and monograms will enable easy identification of individual coins. Concordances are provided to the earlier catalogues of L. Muller (1855) and A. von Prokesch-Osten (1869 and 1871).

The entire press run for this major work will be limited to 1500 copies, of which just 500 are being reserved for the Western Hemisphere. Delivery is anticipated this summer. The Swiss Numismatic Society is the European Distributor, and Classical Numismatic Group, Inc. is the Western Hemisphere Distributor.

ORDERING INFORMATION

The anticipated price of this book is \$325.00, subject to final price review in June. Order now, prior to publication, and requests will be honored in the order received. Send no payment now. You will be invoiced when the final price is determined. No postage will be charged for orders received before June 15, 1991. (This is a savings of about \$10.00).

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The Randazzo Hoard 1980 And Sicilian Chronology In The Early Fifth Century B.C.

By Carmen Arnold-Biucchi. (New York, The American Numismatic Society, 1990). *Numismatic Studies* No. 18. 77 pages, 20 plates, cloth bound. Available at \$50.00.

This new work by Carmen Arnold-Biucchi, ANS Margaret Thompson Curator of Greek Coins, records 539 Sicilian tetradrachms said to be found near Randazzo, in northeastern Sicily at the base of Mount Etna. Based on the eight mints represented in the hoard, the reported site find of Randazzo may be accurate. Due to the nature of the hoard's dispersal, it is not certain whether the 539 catalogued tetradrachms form the complete "Randazzo Hoard" but they do probably form the largest part.

The hoard consisted of the following mints (the number of coins from each mint is given in parentheses): Rhegion (10), Akragas (8), Gela (29), Katane (29), Lentini (14), Messana (136), Naxos (5) and Syracuse (308). The five tetradrachms of Naxos, all from the single pair of dies known for this issue (struck in 461 BC), constitute the largest find of this rare type in recent years (see CNR, Vol. XV, No. 2, item no. 1 for a specimen sold by us last year). Herbert A. Cahn, in 1944, listed 56 known specimens, and Arnold-Biucchi estimates that the number has probably increased by at least 20 new specimens since Cahn's publication!

Importantly, Arnold-Biucchi's comparison of the "Randazzo" hoard with other early fifth century hoards supports the redating of the "Demareteion" dekadrahm to the end of Hieron's reign or circa 475-470 BC. This new reference work is part of the ANS' excellent Numismatic Studies series and is a must for every serious classical numismatist's reference library.

Auction Catalogues & Reviews Available

Auctions		Literature Sales	
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Price, *COINS: An Illustrated Survey: 650 BC to the Present Day*. Hardbound, slip cover. 320 pages, large format. Introduction, 12 chapters dedicated to ancient and medieval coins. Beautifully illustrated with color and black & white photographs throughout. Excellent value.....\$85.00

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Hoberman *THE ART OF COINS AND THEIR PHOTOGRAPHY*. Hardbound. 397 pages. Illustrated throughout. Now out of print - while supplies last.....\$95.00

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MASTERPIECES

Prices on these coins are
available upon request.

GREEK

1. THRACO-MACEDONIAN TRIBES, Bisaltae. Circa 475-465 BC. AR Octodrachm (27.76 gm). ΒΙΣΑΛΤΙΚΟΝ, bridled horse walking right on double exergual line, superimposed on nude youth standing right, holding two spears / Quadripartite incuse. Cf. Svoronos pl. XI, 5-6. EF. Very Rare.

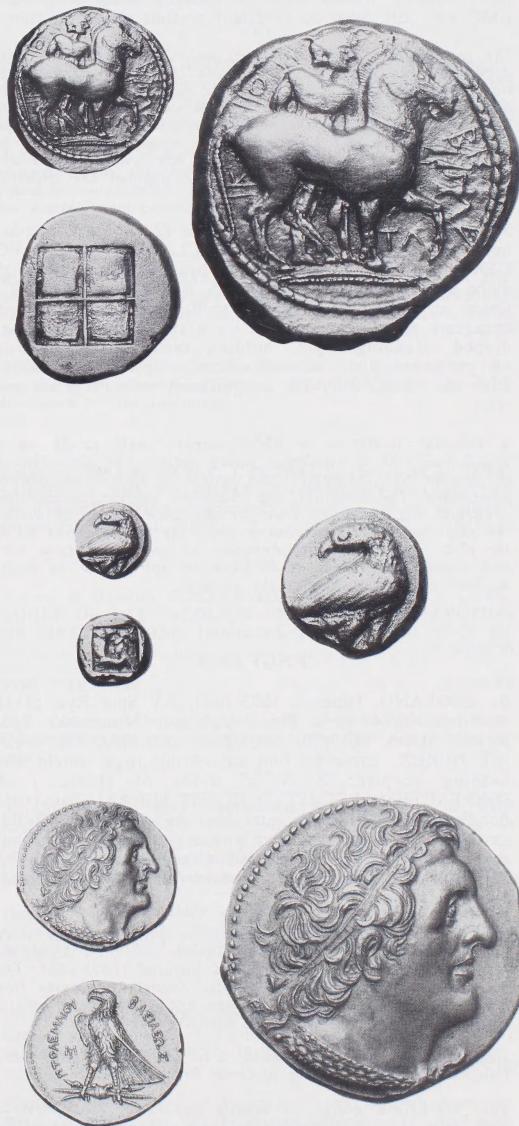
The extraordinary issue of octodrachms by the Bisaltae took place in the aftermath of the Greek victory over the Persian Empire. The Bisaltae apparently won control of the silver mines around Lake Prasias upon the Persian withdrawal, but the coinage was terminated within a decade or so, probably when Alexander I of Macedon took possession of the mines for himself. The massive octodrachms were no doubt struck to make large state payments, perhaps as tribute to Athens or the Delian League. For a price comparison, see NFA XX (1988), 659 (\$21,000).

2. Macedon, Eion (?). Circa 480 B.C. AR drachm (3.92 gm). Eagle standing right, head turned left over back / Square incuse divided by diagonals into four parts. Traité II, I, 1721 = Svoronos (Hellenisme) p. 87, I. M&M 73 (1988), 158 (Attributed to Athens). EF. Extremely Rare.

This important piece is the third known example of this type. Babelon and Svoronos attributed the single specimen known to them to Eion in Macedon. When a second specimen was discovered, M&M attributed it to Athens as a previously unrecognized type of the Wappenmunzen series, primarily on the basis of the weight standard and the characteristic diagonally divided reverse incuse. We believe the coin is most likely from Eion, where this obverse design was a standard type.

3. PTOLEMAIC EGYPT, Ptolemy I. 323-283 BC. AR Tetradrachm (14.88 gm). Alexandria mint. Struck as King, c. 305-283 BC. Diademed head of Ptolemy I right, wearing aegis, tiny Δ (engraver's signature?) behind ear / ΠΤΟΛΕΜΑΙΟΥ ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ, eagle standing three-quarters left on thunderbolt, monogram in left field. Svoronos 201, pl. vii, 26. SNG Copenhagen 48. Exceptionally expressive, well-modelled portrait. Superb EF with attractive even toning.

Ex NFA X (1981), 250. A masterpiece of early hellenistic portraiture. This piece, with its splendid portrait, sharp strike, perfect centering, and delicate toning, is the finest tetradrachm of Ptolemy I that we have seen.



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ROMAN IMPERIAL

4. CLAUDIUS. 41-54 AD. AE Sestertius (28.09 gm). Rome mint. Struck c. 50-54 AD. TI CLAVDIVS CAESAR AVG PM TRP IMP PP, laureate head of Claudius right / SPES AVGVSTA SC, Spes, draped, advancing left, right hand holding flower and left raising skirt. RIC 115. BMC 192. EF, with an excellent portrait on a full flan.

The representation of Spes (Hope) under Claudius is the first appearance on Roman coins of this interesting personification. One reason for Claudius' choice may lie in the fact that he was born on August 1, the day on which vows were regularly paid to Spes, but the main reference is probably to the birth of his son and heir, afterwards named Britannicus, in 41 AD. This is interesting as the first appearance of this dynastic type, which occurs repeatedly throughout the imperial series.

5. NERO. 54-68 AD. AE Sestertius (27.22 gm). Lugdunum mint. Struck c. 65 AD. NERO CLAVD CAESAR AVG GER PM TRP IMP PP, laureate head of Nero left, with globe at point of bust / ANNONA AVGVSTI CERES SC, Ceres on right, veiled and draped, seated left, holding corn ears and torch, her feet on a stool, facing Annona, draped, standing right, holding cornucopiae, modius on garlanded altar between them, ship's stern behind. RIC 431. BMC 307. EF, magnificent emerald-green patina.

A splendid sestertius in every respect, well struck on a broad flan with a wonderful glossy patina. The depiction of the mature Nero represents the apogee of Roman numismatic portraiture. The beautiful and elaborate reverse composition illustrates the emperor's care for the corn supply of Rome: the ship suggests the sea-borne corn; the seated Ceres holds the place of honor, while Annona, the personified corn harvest, stands before her as an attendant spirit; and the modius between them completes the picture.

ENGLAND

6. ENGLAND, James I. 1603-1625. AV Spur Ryal of 15 Shillings (6.24 gm). Third Coinage. Mintmark: Spur Rowel. Struck 1619/20. IACOBVS D:G:MAG:BRIT:FRA:ET HI:REX, Crowned lion supporting royal shield and holding sceptre; X V at sides of shield / A DNO:FACTVM EST ISTVD ET EST MIRAB (This is the Lord's doing and it is marvelous in our eyes - Psalm cxviii, 23), Rose on spur rowel in center of royal cross. Seaby 2634; North 2109 (Very Rare). Superb EF on a full flan. Very Rare. Considered to be the finest known example.

English and Scottish coins display exceptional design work during the fifty eight years that James ruled first Scotland (1567-1603) and then Scotland and England (1603-1625). The design was adapted from an earlier Scottish issue, the lion noble (Seaby 543), and is perhaps one of the most artistic coins in the normally repetitive hammered series.

James was the first British monarch to use the title MAG BRIT (Magna Britanniae - King of Great Britain).

This short-lived design, a drastic departure from previous gold, found limited acceptance in trade due to its lack of familiarity.



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GREEK COINAGE

BOOKS

The books listed are stocked on a regular basis and are available for immediate shipment. Order by author and title.

BASIC WORKS ON GREEK COINAGE

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Miller explores the fascinating world of classical coins and their "impressive" investment performance. Written in the early eighties, the information is a little outdated. However, this book provides the new collector with some insights into the investment side of coin collecting. The best observation we found in Mr. Miller's book was his recognition that "a good working knowledge is an essential prerequisite to successful investment."

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23. SICILY, Tauromenium. 275-210 BC. AV 15 Litrae (1.02 gm). Head of Apollo right, omphalos behind / Tripod. SNG Copenhagen 928. Choice EF. *Very Rare*.....\$2500.00



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33. THRACE, Kings of: Lysimachus. 323-281 BC. AR Drachm (4.24 gm). Ephesus mint. Head of deified Alexander right / Athena seated left. Thompson 174. Choice EF.....\$795.00

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34. THRACE, Dynast of: Koson. Issued for Marcus Junius Brutus. Circa 43 BC. AV Stater (8.27 gm). Eagle left holding wreath / Consul and two lictors left, BR monogram, KOSON in exergue. Weber 2782. Mint State, perfectly struck.....\$5250.00

For an interesting discussion on the origins and attribution of this issue we draw to your attention Lawrence A. Adams' informative article THE SEARCH FOR COSON, which appeared in SAN XV, 4.



35. PAEONIA, Kings of: Patraos. 340-315 BC. AR Tetradrachm (12.38 gm). Laureate head of Apollo / Horseman spear- ing soldier. BMC Macedonia 9. Good VF.....\$335.00

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36. THRACO-MACEDONIAN, Uncertain Tribe. Circa 530-480 BC. AR Hemiobol (0.41 gm). Boar's head left / Incuse punch. Rosen 168. Near VF.....\$65.00



37. MACEDON, Akanthus. Circa 510-480 BC. AR Diobol (0.93 gm). Goat right / Quartered square. SNG ANS 59. VF.\$75.00



38. MACEDON, Akanthus. Circa 470-390 BC. AR Diobol (0.86 gm). Helmeted head right / A K A N in quartered square. SNG ANS 50. Fine.....\$65.00



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44. MACEDON, Therma(?). Circa 500-480 BC. AR Hemiobol (0.27 gm). Forepart of Pegasos right / Quartered square. SNG ANS 763. Fine.....\$65.00



45. MACEDON, Tragilus. Circa 450-400 BC. AR Hemiobol (0.18 gm). Grape cluster / TPIA in quartered incuse. SNG Copenhagen 447. VF.....\$65.00



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47. MACEDON, Kings of: Alexander III. 336-323 BC. AV Stater (8.61 gm). Head of Athena right / Nike standing left, ear of grain in field. Müller 573. EF.....\$2100.00

RARE TETRADRACHM OF ALEXANDER III



48. MACEDON, Kings of: Alexander III. 336-323 BC. AR Tetradrachm (17.12 gm). Aradus (?) mint. Head of Herakles right in lion skin, small B behind head / Zeus enthroned left holding eagle. Newell 3302. Superb EF. Very Rare....\$1850.00

The small letter B, appearing on the obverse, represents a remarkable departure from the usual reverse placement of symbols on Alexander's coinage and has not yet been satisfactorily explained. It may represent a magistrate, an officina, or perhaps an engraver. To complicate this problematic issue further, the reverse monogram, construed by Newell as AP(Aradus) might also be construed as TAP (Tarsus). The B might then represent Baklakros, Alexander's satrap at Tarsus.

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49. MACEDON, Kings of: Alexander III. 336-323 BC. AR Tetradrachm (17.19 gm). Pella mint. Head of Herakles right in lion skin / Zeus enthroned left holding eagle, thunderbolt in field. SNG Ashmolean 2530. Choice EF.....\$1200.00



50. MACEDON, Kings of: Alexander III. 336-323 BC. AR Drachm (4.26 gm). Abydos mint. Head of Herakles right in lion skin / Zeus enthroned left holding eagle. SNG Ashmolean 2716. Choice EF, magnificent broad flan.....\$325.00



51. MACEDON, Kings of: Alexander III. 336-323 BC. AR Drachm (4.22 gm). Magnesia mint. Head of Herakles right in lion skin / Zeus enthroned left holding eagle. SNG Ashmolean 2777. Choice EF.....\$365.00

SPLENDID HELLENISTIC PORTRAIT



52. MACEDON, Kings of: Perseus. 178-168 BC. AR Tetradrachm (16.89 gm). Diademed head of Perseus right / Eagle standing right on thunderbolt, all within wreath. Cf. SNG Copenhagen 1269. Mint State.....\$2500.00



53. THESSALY, Larissa. 340-321 BC. AR Drachm (6.03 gm). 340-321 BC. Three-quarter facing head of nymph Larissa / Horse grazing right, branch below. Boston 900. Superb EF.....\$1650.00



54. THESSALY, Larissa. 340-321 BC. AR Drachm (6.14 gm). Three-quarter facing head of nymph Larissa / Horse grazing right, head lowered. Dewing 1402. EF.....\$695.00



55. ACARNANIA, Leukas. Circa 400-330 BC. AR Stater (8.22 gm). Pegasus, with curled wing, flying right / Helmeted head of Athena right, grape cluster behind. BMC 46. Toned good VF.....\$395.00

EXCEPTIONAL PEGASOS



56. ACARNANIA, Thyrreion. 350-250 BC. AR Stater (8.54 gm). Pegasus flying left / Helmeted head of Athena left, ornate earring behind. BMC 6. Superb EF. (SEE ENLARGEMENT BACK COVER).....\$950.00



57. BOEOTIA, Thebes. Circa 480-456 BC. AR Tetartemorion (0.26 gm). Boeotian shield / Amphora in incuse. SNG Copenhagen 265. Nice VF. Scarce.....\$165.00



58. BOEOTIA, Thebes. Circa 456-444 BC. AR Hemiobol (0.28 gm). Half Boeotian shield, with club / Amphora. Cf. SNG Copenhagen 271. VF. Rare.....\$145.00

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59. BOEOTIA, Thespiae. Circa 426-395 BC. AR Hemiobol (0.34 gm). Half Boeotian shield / Grape cluster. Cf. BMC page 36, 40 (Obol). Toned VF.\$145.00



60. EUBOIA, Histiaia. 4th-3rd Century BC. AR Tetrobol (2.38 gm). Wreathed head of nymph right / Nymph seated on prow. Cf. SNG Copenhagen 517 (no field symbol). Choice EF. Good artistic workmanship.....\$335.00



61. ATTICA, Athens. After 449 BC. AR Hemiobol (0.31 gm). Head of Athena right / Owl. Cf. SNG Copenhagen 59. Fine.....\$45.00



62. CORINTHIA, Corinth. 4th Century BC. AR Drachm (1.87 gm). Pegasus flying left / Head of nymph left. SNG Copenhagen 148. Toned EF. Good artistic execution.....\$550.00



63. PELOPONNESOS, Sikyon. 4th Century BC. AR Hemidrachm (2.78 gm) Chimera left / Dove flying left. BMC 123. Toned VF.....\$125.00

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64. PONTUS, Kings of: Mithridates VI. 120-63 BC. AR Tetradrachm (16.77 gm). Struck 75/4 BC. Diademed bust of Mithridates right, hair flowing / Stag grazing left. Waddington page 19. Choice EF.....\$4200.00



65. PAPHLAGONIA, Sinope. 4th-3rd Century BC. AR Drachm (5.04 gm). Head of Sinope left / Eagle on dolphin left. Waddington 34. Toned EF.....\$395.00



66. PAPHLAGONIA, Sinope. 2nd-1st Century BC. AE 14mm (2.69 gm). Head of Perseus right / Winged harpa. Waddington 63. Good VF, black patina.....\$185.00

RARE CYZICUS ELECTRUM



67. MYSIA, Cyzicus. Circa 550-475 BC. EL Hecte (2.64 gm). Harpy standing left with tunny / Wind-mill incuse punch. Von Fritze 74. VF, small banker's mark obv. Rare.....\$2250.00



68. MYSIA, Cyzicus. 4th Century BC. AE 18mm (4.17 gm). Head of Kore Soteira right / Tripod on tunny. SNG Copenhagen 62. VF+, nice brown patina. Scarce.....\$325.00



69. IONIA, Ephesus. 48-27 BC. AE 14mm (2.57 gm). Bee in wreath / Stag with torch. SNG Von Aulock 1873. Choice VF, magnificent green patina.....\$225.00

RARE EARLY ELECTRUM ISSUE



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70. LYDIAN KINGDOM, Before Croesus. "Walwel". 6th Century BC. EL Sixth (2.37 gm). Inscribed Series. Lion's head right, trace of letter before / Two incuse punches. Weidauer plate 12, 105-106. Good VF. Very Rare.....\$2400.00

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71. CRIA, Knidos. 4th Century BC. AR Hemidrachm (1.75 gm). Forepart of lion right / Aphrodite. Cf. SNG Von Aulock 2662. VF.....\$195.00



72. CRIA, Islands off: Rhodes. 304-167 BC. AR Di-drachm (6.70 gm). Radiate head of Helios / Rose, helmet in field, magistrate ΕΡΑΣΙΚΛΗΣ. SNG Copenhagen 764. Choice EF....\$535.00



73. CRIA, Islands off: Rhodes. Circa 130 BC. Drachm (2.13 gm). Radiate head of Sol right / Rose, headdress of Isis in field, magistrate ΜΑΗΣ. BMC 269. Toned choice EF.....\$475.00



74. CRIA, Islands off: Rhodes. 43 BC - 96 AD. AE 19mm (5.16 gm). Radiate head of Sol right / Nike standing left. BMC 387. Choice VF, green and brown patina. Rare.....\$335.00



75. CILICIA, Satraps of: Datames. 378-372 BC. AR Obol (0.62 gm). Head of Aphrodite right / Helmeted head of Datames right. SNG Levante 81. Toned EF.....\$165.00



76. SYRIA, Seleucid Kings: Antiochus IV. 175-164 BC. AR Tetradrachm (16.58 gm). Diademed head right / Zeus seated left. Newell Antioch 72. Good VF.....\$975.00



77. SYRIA, Seleucid Kings: Antiochus VII. 138-129 BC. AR Tetradrachm (16.39 gm). Diademed head right / Athena standing left holding Nike. Houghton 266. Near EF.....\$295.00



78. SYRIA, Seleucid Kings: Tigranes II of Armenia. 95-56 BC. AR Tetradrachm (15.02 gm). Bust of Tigranes right wearing tiara / Tyche of Antioch seated right, river-god swimming below. Bedoukian 36. Good VF. Rare this nice.....\$2350.00



79. PHOENICIA, Tyre. Struck 76/75 BC. AR Tetradrachm (14.26 gm). Laureate bust of Melkart right / Eagle standing left on prow, club in field. Cf. BMC 153 (Year 64). Superb Mint State. On a magnificent flan for issue.....\$1500.00



80. JUDAEA, First Jewish War. 66-70 AD. AR Shekel (14.20 gm). Struck year 2 = 67/68 AD. Chalice / Pomegranates. Hendin 121, AJC II 8. Choice EF.....\$2750.00



81. BABYLONIA. Mazaios as Satrap. 331-328 BC. AR Drachm (4.11 gm). Baatars seated left / Lion walking left, A in exergue. MIG Type 7 note. VF. Very Rare.....\$375.00

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82. PARTHIA, Kings of: Darius. 70 BC. AE Tetrachalkoi (3.74 gm). Rhagae mint. Diademed bust facing / Horse right. Sellwood 35.15. Near VF. Scarce.....\$165.00



83. PARTHIA, Kings of: Vologases III. 105-147 AD. AR Drachm (3.72 gm). Diademed bust left / Archer seated right. Sellwood 78.7. EF.....\$65.00



84. PARTHIA, Kings of: Parthamaspates. 116 AD. AR Drachm (3.67 gm). Bust left, wearing tiara / Archer seated right. Sellwood 81.1. Toned EF.....\$235.00



85. EGYPT, Kings of: Ptolemy II. 285-246 BC. AE 20mm (5.62 gm). Tyre mint. Head of Zeus right / Eagle left, club in field. SNG Copenhagen 496. Choice VF.....\$135.00



86. EGYPT, Kings of: Ptolemy VI. 180-145 BC. AE 26mm (16.47 gm). Head of Isis right / Eagle left with spread wings. SNG Copenhagen 280. VF.....\$85.00



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87. ZEUGITANIA, Carthage. 202-146 BC. EL 1/10th Stater. Palm tree / Horse head. Jenkins & Lewis 243. Good VF....\$695.00

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89. UMBRIA, Iguvium. Circa 220 BC. Æ Uncia (18.82 gm). Grape cluster / Pellet within torc. Thurlow-Vecchi 149. Near VF, green patina.....\$295.00



90. UMBRIA, Uncertain. Oval coinage. 225-213 BC. Æ Sextans (30.58 gm). Club of Hercules / Two pellets. Thurlow-Vecchi 172. EF, brown patina. Scarce this nice.....\$385.00



91. Anonymous. 275-270 BC. AR Didrachm (7.22 gm). Laureate head of Apollo left / Prancing horse right; 16-point star above. RSC 6a; Sydenham 4; Crawford 15/1b. Toned VF+. Rare.....\$1900.00



92. L. Thorius Balbus. 105 BC. AR Denarius (3.99 gm). Head of Juno of Lanuvium right, wearing goat skin / Bull charging right; Q above. Thoria 1; Sydenham 598; Crawford 316/1. Toned EF.....\$165.00



93. L. Caecilius Metellus. 96 BC. AR Denarius (3.88 gm). Laureate head of Apollo right / Roma seated left on pile of shields, crowned by Victory. Caecilia 45; Sydenham 611a; Crawford 335/1b. Toned VF.....\$185.00



94. L. Titurius L. f. Sabinus. 89 BC. AR Denarius (3.69 gm). Head of king Tatus right / Victory in biga right; dolphin twined around anchor in exergue. Tituria 6; Sydenham 700; Crawford 344/3. Toned VF.....\$225.00

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196. Aurelian. 270-275 AD. Antoninianus (3.55 gm). Cyzicus mint. Radiate bust right / Sol with two captives. RIC 364(F). Choice EF, silver wash 90% intact.....\$85.00



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200. **Probus.** 276-282 AD. Antoninianus (3.07 gm). Rome mint. Radiate bust left with sceptre / Sol in quadriga right. RIC 200(H). VF+, silver wash 85% intact.....\$85.00



201. **Probus.** 276-282 AD. Antoninianus (3.53 gm). Rome mint. Radiate bust right / Trophy with two captives. RIC 220(F). Choice EF, silver wash 95% intact.....\$85.00



202. **Probus.** 276-282 AD. Antoninianus (2.95 gm). Siscia mint. Radiate bust left, spear over shoulder / Pax standing left. RIC 704 variety. EF, silver wash 90% intact.....\$65.00



203. **Magnia Urbica, wife of Carinus.** 283-285 AD. AE Antoninianus. Lugdunum mint. Diademed bust right / Venus standing left. RIC 337. Near EF. Rare.....\$850.00



204. **Constantine I, the Great.** 307-337 AD. AV Solidus (4.53 gm). Nicomedia mint. Struck 335 AD. Diademed head right, eyes raised to God / Victory inscribing shield. RIC 175. EF, wavy flan. Rare.....\$3200.00



205. **Constantine I.** 307-337 AD. AE Follis (3.34 gm). London mint. Struck 319 AD. Helmeted bust left / Two Victories holding shield. RIC 156 (Rarity 1). Superb EF, green patina. Rare.....\$95.00



206. **Constantine I.** 307-337 AD. AE Follis (3.11 gm). Trier mint. Struck 323-324 AD. Laureate head right / SARMATIA DE-VICTA, Victory strutting right carrying trophy, captive at foot. RIC 435. EF. Rare.....\$135.00



207. **Constantine I, posthumous issue.** After 337 AD. AE 4 (1.62 gm). Antioch mint. Veiled head of Constantine right / Quadriga right, hand of God descending from heavens. RIC 37; LRBC 1372. Choice EF.....\$75.00



208. **Constantine I, posthumous issue.** After 337 AD. AE 4 (1.82 gm). Alexandria mint. Veiled head of Constantine right / Veiled figure standing right. RIC 32; LRBC 1473. Choice EF, underlying silver wash.....\$65.00



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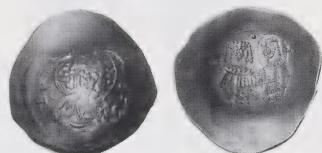
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410. --. (213-217 AD). (3.61 gm). Laureate head right / Venus standing left, holding helmet and sceptre; captives at feet. RSC 613; RIC 312d. Good VF.....\$65.00	

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443. \textsterling Small Follis. Wreath border on reverse. SB 16var; Metcalf 60. Fine, scarce.	\$55.00
444. \textsterling Small Follis. Cross on diadem on obverse. SB 17; DOC 20(var). Fine.	\$32.50
445. \textsterling Small Follis. Nicomedia. SB 33; DOC 30. Fine, grid c/m on reverse.	\$30.00
446. \textsterling Large Half Follis. Star on shoulder. SB 25; DOC 24d (var). Fine.	\$22.50
447. \textsterling Large Follis. Off. 1. SB 19; DOC 23a. VF.	\$35.00
448. \textsterling Large Follis. Off. 2. SB 19; DOC 23b. Fine.	\$22.50
449. \textsterling Large Follis. Off. 3. SB 19; DOC 23d. Fine.	\$22.50
450. \textsterling Large Follis. Off. 4. SB 19; DOC 23f. Near VF.	\$25.00
451. \textsterling Large Follis. Off. 5. SB 19; DOC 23i. Fine.	\$22.50
452. \textsterling Large Follis. Off. 5. 8-point star. SB 19; DOC 23k. Fine.	\$20.00
453. \textsterling Large Follis. Off. 4. SB 20; DOC 23h. Fine.	\$25.00
454. \textsterling Large Follis. Off. 5. SB 21; DOC 23l. Fine.	\$27.50
455. \textsterling Large Follis. Antioch. SB 47; DOC 45. Fine, flan flaw.	\$40.00

GREEK IMPERIAL

A selection of Alexandrian tetradrachms, all from the Col. Curtis collection, with his holders.
All with bust of ruler on obverse.

456. Julia Mamaea. Year 14 (234/235 AD). Bust of Zeus right. Curtis 1144. Fine.	\$25.00
457. Gordian III. Year 2 (238/239 AD). Homonoia standing left. Curtis 1269. Fine.	\$25.00
458. Gallienus. Year 12 (264/265 AD). Athena standing left. Curtis 1578. VF.	\$45.00
459. Gallienus. Year 14 (266/267 AD). Athena seated left, holding Nike. VF.	\$50.00
460. Claudius Gothicus. Year 1 (268/269 AD). Eagle with wreath. Curtis 1671. VF.	\$40.00
461. Claudius Gothicus. Year 2 (269/270 AD). Eagle with wreath. Curtis 1676. VF.	\$50.00
462. Aurelian. Year 2 (271/272 AD). Eagle with wreath. Curtis 1765. Fine.	\$20.00
463. Aurelian. Year 3 (272 AD). Eagle with wreath. Curtis 1766. VF.	\$30.00
464. Aurelian. Year 5 (273/274 AD). Eagle with wreath. Curtis 1772. VF.	\$40.00
465. Tacitus. Year 1 (275/276 AD). Dikaiosyne standing left. Curtis 1830. VF.	\$30.00
466. Numerian. Year 2 (283/284 AD). Athena seated left, holding Nike. Curtis 1936. VF.	\$45.00
467. Numerian. Year 2 (283/284 AD). Athena seated left, holding Nike. Curtis 1937. Fine.	\$30.00

MEDIEVAL

A cross-section out of a hoard of Crusader deniers from Greece. See Special #8 for the lower end of the hoard. All are of the Short cross / Castle type with a variety of secret marks at beginning and end of the legends (indicated with symbols separated by a -), and elsewhere.

468. ACHAIA. William of Villehardouin. 1246-1278. Marks: - / wedge--. Metcalf G12. VF.	\$20.00
469. --. Charles I/II. 1278-1285-1289. Marks: --; legend begins kRRR / Double saltires. Metcalf K11(var).	\$32.50
470. --. Florent. 1289-1297. Marks: -flower; barred A / -nail. Metcalf F2(var). VF.	\$25.00
471. --. Isabella. 1297-1301. Marks: *-h / -nail. Metcalf 740var. VF.	\$22.50
472. --. Philip of Savoy. 1301-1307. Marks: --; dash on arm of cross / lis-lis; star. Metcalf PS1. VF.	\$25.00
473. --. Philip of Savoy. 1301-1307. Marks: -- / lis-lis; lis. Metcalf PS2. VF.	\$35.00
474. --. Philip of Tarento. 1307-1313. Marks: - ; S of legend reversed / - ; inner linear border. Metcalf PT2(var). VF...	\$40.00
475. --. Philip of Tarento. 1307-1313. Marks: -lis * / --;	

EE. Metcalf PT3(var). VF.....	\$35.00
476. --. Maud. 1316-1321. Marks: - / -annulet; annulet and floret. Metcalf 757. VF.....	\$22.50
477. ATHENS. William de la Roche. 1289-1287. Marks: Double annulets / double annulets; * in tower of castle. Metcalf A1(var). VF.....	\$42.50
478. --. William de la Roche. 1280-1287. Marks: Double annulet / Double annulet-Ho. Metcalf A5(var). Fine.....	\$27.50
479. --. William de la Roche. 1280-1287. Marks: -- / Trefoils and *; castle with tower on flat roof. Near VF.....	\$35.00
480. --. Guy II. 1287-1308. Marks: -- / crescents. See Pylia hoard. VF.....	\$25.00
481. --. Guy II. 1287-1308. Marks: Double annulets / double annulets; rosette stops. See Pylia hoard. VF.....	\$27.50
482. --. Guy II. 1287-1308. Marks: -- / ; legend reads ATENIS/ --. Metcalf 785(var). VF.....	\$32.50
483. EPIRUS. Philip of Tarento. 1294-1313. Marks: leaf-lis / nail*. Metcalf E1b. Good VF.....	\$40.00
484. --. Philip of Tarento 1294-1313. Marks: lis- / nail-. Metcalf E1b. VF.....	\$35.00

MAKING COIN CASTS

(Continued from Page 2) must be well mixed or it will not harden. Many bubbles will form but blowing on the surface of the mix will cause them to burst.

2. Do not use a commercial spray with plastic casts. As done with plaster, carefully brush the plastic mixture onto the surfaces of the mold. Remove bubbles by blowing into the mold or tapping firmly on a flat surface. Pour to finish filling the molds.
3. Allow to dry. Polymer materials set much more quickly at warm temperatures, so the results achieved in 5 hours at 90 degrees may take 48 hours at 60 degrees. Do not try to remove plastic casts until thoroughly dry.

4. Compared to plaster, plastic is difficult to separate from the Plasticine mold. Try scraping away remaining material using a toothpick. Soaking in very hot, soapy water and scrubbing with a toothbrush will help. Hot water will make the casts soft and easier to clean. While the plastic is warm, trim any excess material with small scissors.

Plaster casts are simple, fun and attractive but not suitable for uses likely to encounter wear or hard knocks. Plastic casts are unbreakable, lightweight and variable in color with the imagination of their maker. Plastic casts are considerably more work but worth the effort for some uses. Both methods will provide something to keep at home while the coins are in the bank vault. Both can be framed into attractive wall displays. The choice depends on the intended use and personal preference.

Footnotes:

1. In the Washington, D.C. area, it is available at Toys-R-Us.
2. Such as "Airid" by Deep Flex Plastic Molds.
3. Good results are possible with "Enviro-tex Polymer Coating" which is sold by several D.C. area craft stores.
4. Use only the lighter colors of Plasticine if you choose to make white casts. Dark colors will transfer to white plastic.
5. Such as "Brush 'n Leaf" by American Art Clay Co.
6. The author would enjoy hearing from persons who try this process and find a favorite colorant. Send any letters to the author in care of CNG, Inc.

SPECIALS

COIN SPECIAL #1

ROME

Constantine I (The Great)

307-337 AD

From a group of select folles from Lugdunum and Trier.

Bust of Constantine / Sol standing. *Choice EF specimen.*

\$38.00



COIN SPECIAL #2

ROME

Aurelian

270-275 AD

From a group of select Antoniniani with good silver wash.

Radiate bust right / Various reverses. *Superb EF specimen.*

\$65.00



COIN SPECIAL #3

ROME

Probus

276-282 AD

From a group of select Antoniniani with good silver wash.

Radiate bust right / Various reverses. *Superb EF specimen.*

\$55.00



COIN SPECIAL #4

ROME

Gallienus

260-268 AD

From a group of Antoniniani.

Radiate bust right / Various reverses with animals. *Average good Fine.*

\$17.50



COIN SPECIAL #5

HUNGARY

Anonymous

12th Century

Obol

Ornate cross / Small cross in circles. Rethy 65. *Nice VF.*

\$22.00



COIN SPECIAL #6

HUNGARY

Ladislaus I

1077-1095

Denar

Bust of Ladislaus / Small cross. Rethy 27. *Nice VF+.*

\$67.50



COIN SPECIAL #7

CRUSADER, Kings of Jerusalem

Baldwin III

1143-1163

Denier

Cross / Tower of David. Cf. Metcalf 89A. *Average VF.*

\$38.00



COIN SPECIAL #8

CRUSADER

A selection of three coins featuring deniers from

a Prince of Achaia, a Despot of Epirus and a Duke of Athens.

13th Century

Castle / Cross. *Average Fine.* Three coins for.....

\$45.00



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